ORDER No. R. 6335-44—L. R. 235-25-4, DATED 30TH JUNE 1926.

Government agree with the view of the Revenue Commissioner that the Superintendent of Revenue Survey and Inam Settlements is the proper authority to order the reduction of the Jodi and Kayamgutta in such cases. But all applications for reduction of Jodi or Kayamgutta should pass through the Deputy Commissioner.

C. RANGANATHA RAO SAHIB,
Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT.

Budget Estimates.

ORDER No. FL. C. 313-362—G.F. 190-25-1, DATED, CAMP MYSORE, 30TH JUNE 1926.

The Provisional Budget Estimates for 1926-27 were placed before the Representative Assembly for general discussion on the 15th, 16th and 17th June 1926. After the Provisional Estimates were framed, it was found necessary to raise the grant to the Mysore University from Rs. 7,25,000 to Rs. 7,75,000 and the following additions were announced in the closing speech of the Dewan to the Representative Assembly :—

26. Education.—

	Rs.
For opening a High School at Maddagiri	8,000
30. Grants for Public Improvements.—	
For increasing the grant to Bangalore City improvements from Rs. 20,000 to Rs. 35,000	15,000
Total ...	23,000

The additional expenditure of Rs. 50,000+Rs. 23,000=Rs. 73,000 will be met as follows :—

I. IMPROVEMENT OF REVENUE.

1. XIII. Miscellaneous—Sale of sites	10,000
2. XXVIII. Kolar Gold Fields :— Reduction of contribution towards arrears of depreciation from Rs. 1,23,000 to Rs. 73,860	49,140

II. REDUCTION OF EXPENDITURE.

Serial No.	Head	From	To	Savings	Remarks
	12. GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	2-Dewan and Members of Council.	1,02,000	96,000	6,000	Original provision admits of reduction.
2	4-Civil Secretariats	4,27,600	4,23,688	3,912	Cost of the establishment of the Extra Member of Council, the need for which has since ceased.
3	5-Comptroller's Office	2,72,500	2,68,552	3,948	Provision for the training of Accountants of the Comptroller's Office in Commercial Accounts deleted.

Grand Total of I and II ... ... Rs. 73,000

The Budget with the above alterations was presented to the Legislative Council and it was dealt with by the Council in the two stages of (i) General Discussion and (ii) Voting of Demands for Grants; the former on 23rd and 24th and the latter on four days, *viz.*, 26th, 28th, 29th and 30th June 1926. The following reductions were accepted by Government in the course of voting of grants :—

12 General Administration.

	Rs.
Duty allowance to the Private Secretary to the Dewan ...	300
Pay of the Financial Secretary	3,000

The sanctioned estimates for 1926-27 as they finally stand resulting in a surplus of Rs. 46,000 are herewith published for general information.

B. SREENIVASA IYENGAR,
Financial Secretary to Government.